

# **SC Annual School Report Card Summary**

Lakewood Elementary **Horry County Schools** 

Grades: PK-5 **Enrollment: 894** Principal: jlapier@horrycountyschools.net Superintendent: Dr. Cynthia Elsberry

**Board Chair: Will Garland** 

### **PERFORMANCE**

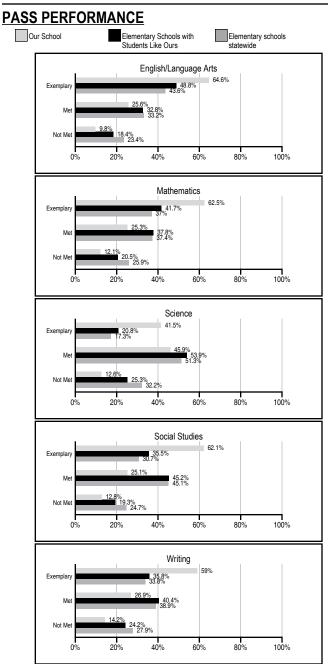
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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	Excellent	Excellent	TBD	TBD	Α	N/A
2011	Excellent	Excellent	Gold	Gold	Not Met	N/A
2010	Excellent	Excellent	Gold	Gold	Met	N/A

## **ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\***

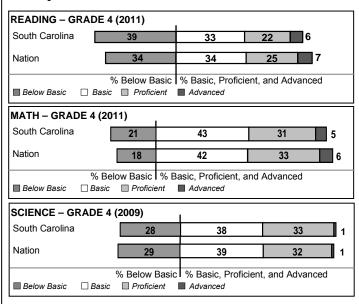
EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
41	38	25	0	0

<sup>\*</sup> Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.



#### **NAEP PERFORMANCE\***

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



#### **SC PERFORMANCE VISION**

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

# Lakewood Elementary [Horry County Schools] **SCHOOL PROFILE**

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
Students (n=894)				
Retention rate	1.2%	Up from 0.4%	0.9%	1.0%
Attendance rate	96.5%	Up from 96.0%	96.6%	96.6%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	2.3%	Up from 0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=52)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	46.2%	Down from 50.0%	63.6%	63.0%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	85.8%	Down from 91.4%	89.6%	88.7%
Teacher attendance rate	95.8%	Up from 93.2%	95.2%	95.1%
Average teacher salary*	\$49,855	Down 6.4%	\$48,152	\$47,210
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	2.9%	Up from 0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	14.3 days	Down from 18.4 days	11.5 days	10.5 days
School				
Principal's years at school	1.0	Down from 10.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	20.5 to 1	Down from 20.9 to 1	20.3 to 1	20.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	91.2%	Up from 85.9%	90.3%	90.5%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No Change	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,707	Down 6.3%	\$6,761	\$7,247
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	66.9%	Up from 66.6%	68.0%	68.2%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	62.2%	Down from 62.9%	66.3%	65.7%
ESEA composite index score	91.9	N/A	93.7	91.9

<sup>\*</sup> Length of contract = 185+ days.

#### **EVALUATION RESULTS**

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	44	136	81
Percent satisfied with learning environment	97.7%	94.9%	96.1%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	95.6%	92.5%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	100.0%	94.1%	88.8%

<sup>\*</sup>Only students at the highest elementary school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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#### REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

2011-2012 was a year of academic excellence and outstanding achievement for the Lakewood Elementary School Community. The staff of Lakewood Elementary worked continuously on professional development to strengthen core literacy programs, implement focused small group instruction, student data note booking, as well as data teaming. The Lakewood Elementary School PTA and volunteer organizations continue to provide dedicated assistance to the students and staff of Lakewood Elementary. Lakewood is very fortunate to have such an active volunteer program whose members work very closely with our students and staff to ensure success in all academic areas. Our School Improvement Council remains an integral part of ensuring that the school continues on its path of excellence. We are extremely proud of the achievements earned this school year. Lakewood was recognized once again by the state's Education Oversight Committee as a Gold winner for general performance and a Gold winner for closing the achievement gap. Lakewood Elementary School is committed to academic excellence and we continue to value our strong community support to help each of our students reach their full academic and personal best.

James LaPier, Principal Effie Hartley, School Improvement Council Chairperson

<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data available.